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Special Announcement

We extend a most cordial invitation to you to attend our opening of Fall and Winter styles of

Cloaks, Suits, Shirts, Furs, Wraps, special lines of which we now have in our store. These goods are from the leading houses, and several special representatives from the Cities will be present with us on

Saturday, October 3, 1908,

to fit the garments and assist in pleasing you in making your selections.

We will be pleased if you will call, as we have taken great care in making these selections.

Yours very truly,

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Special Announcement



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SMITH & HERRING

Dr E H Pearce will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and evening, at usual hours.

Mr Leonard Miller, foreman of The Record, has been quite ill this week. During his absence from the office, Mr R E Henry has filled his place.

Milinery at Crab Orchard

Miss Rella Arnold, the Crab Orchard milliner, will have her regular Fall opening today (Friday) and tomorrow. She has a splendid line of goods and will be glad to show them to the ladies.

The Rummage Sale

The ladies of the Christian church have collected a great lot of rummage which will be sold at the Stormes room next Saturday afternoon. They have quite a lot of good articles to be sold at your own price. Dont miss this sale.

Garrard County C E Union

The Garrard County Christian Endeavor Union will meet at Pleasant Grove Church Saturday, 3rd. A special program has been arranged, which, for lack of space The Record is not able to publish. The public is cordially invited to the sessions and a large crowd will be present.

Gov Brasley Speaks Here

Senator W O Bradley will deliver an address on behalf of the Republican party, at the court house next Wednesday, the 7th, at one o'clock, p m. A brass band will be on hand, and the people of Lancaster and Garrard county will put forth every effort to give the Lancaster man a rousing reception.

Meeting of Bankers.

Messrs J W Edmore, cashier of Garrard Bank & Trust Co, B F Hudson, cashier of the Citizens National Bank, and S C Deuny, cashier of the National Bank of Lancaster, attended the meeting of the state bankers at Lexington last week. Mr Deuny was appointed as a delegate to the National organization of Bankers, which met at Denver, Colo., an honor which was well merited.

Fire Near Town.

The large barn of Mrs Fannie Farra, near town, was destroyed by fire Friday. The origin of the fire is unknown and is supposed to have been caused by some new hay, placed next to roof, becoming ignited by spontaneous combustion. The scarcity of water prevented saving the barn or a lot of fencing adjoining. The building was a very fine one and the loss is quite heavy.

Ky. Sunday School Association.

The forty third State Convention of the Sunday School Association will be held at Newport Oct 18 to 23. A half rate has been granted by the railroads, and splendid accommodations will be furnished to all delegates. Each county is entitled to three sets of delegates, and those interested in Sunday School work should see that Garrard county is well represented.

Sermon Services.

In order to connective and instructive, the pastor of the Methodist church of Lancaster and McKendree will give a series of discourses on a special subject, embracing each Sabbath, of the month. The subject for the first month of the pastoral year in Lancaster will be as already begun—"The Christ Vision of Values for himself." Under this theme next Sunday, 11 a m, will be the subject, "The Christ Value of Time." Evening subject, "Value of Changed Conditions." Services at Lancaster church every Sunday night, also 11 a m on first and third Sunday of month at McKendree (Hubble) 11 a m, second and fourth Sunday.

The watering trough, on the Public Square, is proving a great convenience.

Mr J E Stormes has purchased a handsome automobile. This is the second to be owned by Lancaster parties. The machines have come to stay, so the old plug horses should become reconciled to them.

Will C Davis & Son, the merchant tailors, have rented the property now used for the Ballard hotel, and will move to same in a few days. They will have their tailor shop in same, where they will be glad to see their old friends and customers.

Worst Drouth in Years.

The scarcity of water is causing untold suffering and trouble not only in town but in the country as well. Very few people have drinking water at hand, and water being hauled many miles. The drouth extends all over the country, and much suffering is being experienced everywhere.

Hotel Change.

Mr "Dee" Gully, who has so successfully conducted the Mason Hotel for past year, has bought a stock of goods at McQuerry, and will move to that town in a few days. The Mason House has been rented by Mr John Ballard, who will take charge of same in a few days, and run a first class hotel in every way.

The True Spirit.

A fellowship service, in which the other congregations of Lancaster joined with that of the Methodist church, to welcome Dr E H Pearce, has been fraternally observed at the night service of the Methodist church the past two Sabbaths. That looks good to The Record. "By this shall all men know that ye are disciples by the kindness ye show to each other."

Fine Farm Sold.

Hughes & Swinebroad, the real estate men, sold for E M Shearer and M D Shearer their fine farm on the Lexington Pike near town. The farm consisted of 264 acres and the price was \$60,000. The sale was made to Samuel D Cochran. We are glad to state that each of these excellent gentlemen will continue to be residents of our county, and that Mr Cochran will be a near neighbor to us.

Court Day.

There was a small crowd in town Monday. Everyone was discussing the drouth, and reports showed great suffering from all parts of the county. Capt Am Bourne, the veteran auctioneer, kindly gives The Record the following report of stock sales: Cattle, 31 to 46; plug horses \$25 to \$60; mule colts \$40 to \$90; aged mules \$100 to \$200. There were many mule colts on the market, but buyers were not disposed to pay much for them. Bowen Fox bought about fifty at from \$30 to \$60.

Uncle Sam's Law.

The Record must insist that all subscribers pay up in advance or their names will be removed from the list, and we will have to put your account in the hands of Merchant's Mercantile Agency which is being formed in this section. No one should expect to get a paper for nothing. It costs money to issue a paper, and since the Paper Trust has gotten control of white paper the publishers all over the country are suffering the consequences of its extortionate prices. No city paper is ever sent out on credit, and a recent ruling of the postal authorities makes it necessary for every publisher whether of a weekly or daily, to collect his subscriptions in advance before his publication will be admitted to the mails. The Record does not want to lose any of its valuable subscribers, but it is necessary to comply with the law.

All the patrons and friends of the school are urged to be present next Monday at 3:30 o'clock at the school building to consider some questions of school improvements.

D. W. Bridges.

Nominations Made.

The Democratic county committee met Friday and made the following nominations: A D Ford, for county judge; W S Carrier for assessor; Joe E Robinson, for county attorney; W B Burton for legislature; Miss Jennie Higgins, for superintendent of schools. As there were several candidates for other nominations, a primary was called for November 28, to make these selections.

Fine Display.

The regular fall openings of fall millinery by the local dealers took place last Saturday, and were attended by a large crowd. The stocks embraced all the newest ideas in headwear creations and were greatly admired by the women folks. The stocks brought on this fall by the Lancaster dealers are right up to the minute in style, and Lancaster people will not have to go away from home to make their selections.

Democratic Speaking.

A large crowd heard Hon Jerry Sullivan, at the court house Monday. Mr Sullivan is a gifted speaker and set forth the cause of his party in telling words. He is a fine gentleman, and was given a warm reception by his many Garrard county friends. At conclusion of his address, the audience called for Hon Harvey Helm, democratic candidate for Congress, and this gentleman made a rousing address which was heartily applauded.

Kind Words for "Billy."

Danville Advocate:—In the last issue of the Central Record (Lancaster) the owner of that good horse, Pharaoh, Hon William B Burton, of Garrard county, has announced himself as a candidate for the nomination for Representative from Garrard county. "Billy" is a clever young man, a sterling Democrat certainly capable of filling the office he seeks. Notwithstanding that some of his inner-circle friends say "he is too good to be spoiled by politics," it is remembered that more politics is spoiled by men than men by politics, and Garrards people will be well and properly represented if they choose Mr Burton as their messenger.

I have received the statement of the pay roll for teachers of Garrard. The per capita for the county is \$3.64. The surplus dog tax in the county supplemented the state fund from \$3.00 The state Superintendent informs me that the money will be here on time to be paid to the teachers according to law. County Superintendent.

Doubtful.

He—I'm sorry, Maria! She—What's the good of being sorry after spilling the clean floor with yer dirty feet? He—Well, I dunno, Maria. I don't s'pose you could jaw me any more if I wasn't sorry.—Puck.

To Taxpayers

State and county taxes are now due. The penalty goes on December 1st, so you had better settle now and save the cost necessarily incurred by delaying the matter.

C. A. Arnold, Sheriff.



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